

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**APPLICANT:** Martin E. **BANTON**      **GROUP:** 2609

**APPLICATION:** 10/717,824      **EXAMINER:** A. Woldemariam

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**FOR: METHOD FOR DESIGNING NEARLY CIRCULARLY  
SYMMETRIC DESCREENING FILTERS THAT CAN BE  
EFFICIENTLY IMPLEMENTED IN VLIW (VERY LONG  
INSTRUCTION WORD) MEDIA PROCESSORS**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**Sir:**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

In response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2007, and the Advisory Action dated December 28, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.